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1 March 1989

M/M Norman L. Grounds
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(Milestones dtd Nov 1985).

p.748 I (3446). Florence (Flossie) Hilliker, wife of Guy Roe [9] Merwin of Conesville, NY, d. 12 Aug 1984 and was bur. at Fairview Cem., Grand Gorge, NY. She was b. 29 Mar 1904 in Rensselaer, NY, a dau. of Frank & Lottie (Bates) Hilliker and is survived by her husband whom she mar. 2 Dec 1921.
(Milestones #77, Nov 1985).

p.750 I (4504). Hazel May [10] Buel b. 9 Aug 1923 in Conesville, NY; in 1988 living at RD 1, Box 291, Prattsville NY 12468. On 6 Apr 1947 in Conesville, NY, mar. Harry E_____ Peckham b. 29 May 1912 in Prattsville, NY, a son of Frank O_____ & Carrie _____ Fredenburg Peckham by whom she had two children b. in Stamford, NY:

a. Daniel William [11] Peckham (MMA member) b. 16 Nov 1951
b. Janice Mae [11] Peckham b. 16 Nov 1954

(Helen Buel Myers' cor. dtd 26 Oct 1988).

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p.750 I (4504).b. Janice Mae [11] Peckham b. 16 Nov 1954 in Stamford, NY; in 1988 living at 21207 Park Valley Drive, Katy TX 77450, a dau. of Harry E_____ & Hazel Mae (Buel) Peckham. On 20 Jun 1980 in _____, _ _ , mar. Roger Elton May b. 19 Apr 1954 in St Louis, MO, a son of Roy _____ & Shirley May (Howk) May, by whom she had two children, the first b. in Elk City, OK, the second b. in Houston, TX:

1. Alysia Ann [12] May b. 19 Jun 1984
2. Ryan Edward [12] May b. 20 Feb 1987

(Helen Buel Myers' cor. dtd 26 Oct 1988).

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p.750 I (4506). Lovina Mabel [10] Buel b. 14 Jul 1930 in Conesville, NY; in 1988 living at RD 5, Box 5167, Moscow PA 18444, a dau. of Willie T. & Elsie E. (Merwin) Buel. On 8 Jun 1952 in Conesville, NY,

20 August 1988

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All members of the Association of the eleventh generation will have an opportunity to update their family entry and have the update included in Volume III. This includes the names and birth dates of your children. If, however, your children wish to have their wife and children in Volume III, they must become members of the Association. Will you please check with each of your children and, if they are interested in having their families in Volume III, ask them to send me a check for $10 payable to Miles Merwin Assn. for annual dues. I shall then contact them for information.

Please look at you entry in Volume II to see if any change is required. If so, write me and I shall include the change in Volume III.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

1277 Central Ave. (Rear)
Albany, N.Y. 12205
March 23, 1989

Dear Cousin,

I am writing you in reference to your letter of March 1st. I had talked with my daughters and since Linda (Symonds) Hatton is divorced and hasn't remarried. She just hasn't bothered to be a member as she says I can keep her informed about the family. My daughter Carol Anne (Nelson) Tay who lives in Calif. Told me she had called you and that you were sending her forms to fill out. The only other thing I have is to announce is the

birth of our grandson Jason Phillips Tay to Carol & John Tay of San Diego, Calif on June 14, 1988 I waited to write as she had a difficult time after his birth and almost passed away. I wanted to be sure all was well. With going to Calif. & taking some time to travel last Fall & Winter. I some how have slipped up on my conespondence. I do hope I have at last caught up with it all

Sorry about the delay.

Best Regards

Rose F. Grounds

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(Barbara Merwin Jackson's fam. rec. + telecon Sept. 8, 1982).

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(Family record sheets and data supplied by Lydda M. Sudhoff & Milestones #73, Aug 1984).

p.780 I (3654). Clifford Walter (9) Merwin _ _ _ _ His wife Ada Gertrude (AmEnd) Merwin d. 7 Apr 1985 in Oconomowoc, WI.
(Milestones No. 76, Aug 1985).

p.781 I (3656). Margaret Irene Raatz b. 30 Sep 1909 in Erdahl, Grant County, MN, widow of Merle Chauncey Merwin; in 1988 living at 3901 Collingswood Avenue, Fort Worth TX 76107, mar. (2nd) as his second wife, Paul Lyle Maxwell b. 3 Aug 1908 in Charleston, IL, a son of Herbert Benjamin & Ethel Bernice (Gish) Maxwell.
(Milestones #84, Feb 1988).

p.792 I (4746). Herbert (10) Hewitt b. abt. 1868, prob. in Calhoun County, MI; d. _____in _____.On _____mar. in _____Martha Jane Billman b. _____; d. _____; bur. in Riverside Cem., Bellevue, MI, by whom he had a dau. b. in Calhoun County:

a. Elizabeth Mae (11) Hewitt b. Jan. 1, 1890; d. Sep. 28, 1965, in Charlotte, MI; bur. in Hunt Cem., Clarence Twp., MI. On _____1910, mar. Oliver Seitler b. _____ in _____ a son of_____&_____(_____)____ by whom she had six children, the third child b. in Bellevue Twp. was:

1) Agnes Louise (12) Seitler b. Jan 7, 1917, in 1985 living at 9435 E. Baseline Road, Battle Creek, MI 49017. On May 20, 1937, mar. in Angola, IN, Neil H. Brady b. Apr. 19, 1906 in Assyria Twp., Barry County, MI, a son of John & Emma (Smith) Brady, by whom she had two sons b. in Battle creek:

(a) Robert Allan (13) Brady b. Sep 27, 1943
(b) William John (13) Brady b. May 18, 1947

p.792 I (4749). Harry [10] Hewitt b. 25 Dec 1871 in Lee Township, Calhoun County, MI; d. 13 May 1955 in Pennfield Twp., Calhoun County, MI. On 23 Nov 1892 in Convis Twp., Calhoun County, mar. Alcie Eliza Coats b. 8 Nov 1869 in Convis Twp., Calhoun County, MI; d. 23 Aug 1920 in Pennfield Twp., Calhoun County, MI, a dau of Justin & Harriett Ann (Naramore) Coats, by whom he had a dau b. in Lee Twp., Calhoun County, MI:

a. Myrtle Irene [11] Hewitt b. 6 Aug 1898; d. 13 Jun 1970 in Marshall, MI. On 7 May 1919, mar in Bellevue, MI, , Frank Harwood McDermid b. 13 Jan 1884 in Pennfield; d. 4 Jun 1953 in Pennfield, a son of Charles Clark & Lydia Eliza (Bouton) McDermid, by whom she had seven children, one of whom was:

1) Betty Jane [12] McDermid (MMA member) b. 20 Sep 1922 in Pennfield Twp; in 1988 living at 410 W. Jackson, Bellevue MI 49021. On 5 Mar 1947 in Assyria, Barry County, MI, mar. John Clark Baker b. 21 Jan 1920 in Daviess Counmty, IN; d. 24 May 1982 in Battle Creek, MI, a son of Francis Marion & Amy (Scales) Baker, by whom she had four children b. in Battle Creek:

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Kassinger, members from East Worcester, NY, announce the birth of a son, GARTH AUGUST KASSINGER on Algerine Hill, East Worcester, NY, on 13 October 1987

Mrs. Timothy Taylor (Florence) Merwin, Jr., MMA member from Wilton, CT, announces the birth of a granddaughter, CHELSEA ROSE MERWIN ON 17 ___ 1988 At Norwalk, CT. She is the daughter of Timothy Taylor [11] & Virginia Ethel (Vasale) Merwin, IV, members from Wilton.

DEATHS

Doris Merwin, MMA member from New Britain, CT, reported the death of her late sister's husband, JAMES GOULD II (p.228 #4094 MFNA) on 22 Apr 1988 in Woodstock, VT.

Mrs. Elizabeth (Betz) Duer (MFNA 4159) reported the death of her husband, PAUL L DUER on 5 April 1988 at San Jose, CA, after an extended illness due to emphysema. He was buried at Oak Hill Memorial Park, San Jose, on 8 April 1988. He is survived by his wife, their daughter, Nancy Lee Swenson, and two grandchildren, Leesa Loftus and Erick Swenson; three sisters, Mary Haines, Akron, OH, Jean Liembaugh, Salem; and Martha Ewing, Naples, FL.

ALVIRA BUETHE MERWIN, widow of Clifford Ernest Merwin (MFNA 4664), of Cheyenne, WY, died 29 February 1988. Mrs. Merwin was a long-time member of our Association.
(Reported by Mrs. Kay E. Ross 29 Jun 1988).

Association member Dr. Edmund Merwin Sage, Association member of Manasquan, NJ, informed us of the death of MRS. CARL (MILDRED GORDON DUFOUR) SCHANK, sister to Mrs. Edmund Merwin Sage (p.46 II).

Mrs. M. Gray Weingarten, MMA member from Syracuse, reports the death of her husband, KEEVA WEINGARTEN, on 1 August 1987.

Mrs. Dorothy Schumen Silliman, Assocition member from Garden Grove, CA, reported the death of her husband, DORR EUGENE SILLIMAN on 25 June 1987 of emphysema and lung cancer. His body was cremated and interred at Rose Hills Cemeterey at Whittier, CA. He is survived by his widow, four children, ten grandchildren, and twelve great grandchildren. He was a lifelong member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Russell W.Hunt, Association member from Milford, CT, reported the death of his daughter, Katherine Charlotte (Hunt) Smigay on 20 Nov 1987 at age thirty-six in Colorado Springs, CO. She is survived by her husband, Michael Smigay and children Shawna and Jason.

Harmon Turner Merwin, MMA member of Upper Arlington, OH, reported the death of his daughter, Kathryn Ann [10] Merwin, (MFNA 4249) on 19 March 1988 in Cleveland, OH. She was employed as a pre-school teacher by the Worthington United Methodist Church of Worthington, OH.

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Mrs. Stephen Jackson
RD Gilboa NY

Aug. 5, 1982

Dear Cousin:

Last week-end my wife and I were in your area searching for Merwins. Unfortunately, you were not at home when we stopped to see you.

Enclosed is a copy of my letter of November 18, 1981. Wont you please fill it out and return it to me? I dont want to leave your family out of the book, but only you can give me the information.

Please reply by August 31st. It will take only a few minutes.

Best regards,

Merwyn

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Since you are one of our family, we would appreciate your completing the enclosed family record. Missing items are encircled or indicated by a question mark. There is no charge or obligation on your part. All Merwins should be in the book.

Your cooperation will be much appreciated.

Best regards,

Merwyn

Reply to:

Mr. Merwyn R. Buchanan
1733 Blue Bell Road
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PS— your mother gave me your address.

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No reply 6/13/89

28 December 1988

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Merwyn R. Buchanan will contiue as Genealogist. Directors also decided to hold their midwinter meeting in New York City on Saturday, December 3, 1988, when the agenda will include the question of whether future reunions should be held less frequently than annually. Directors also asked Merwyn to prepare and issue a new edition of the Address List of Association Members; the present list dated 1984 is seriously out of date.

STRICKEN YOUNGSTER

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A NEW PH D

Mrs. Otis Hale (Rose-Marie Souster) Merwin, member from St Paul, MN, reports that her son, Lawrence Hale Merwin (MFNA 5259) received a Ph D in Chemistry in November 1987 from Durham University, Durham, England. He and his wife, Linda (Piepgras) Merwin and their daughter, Laura Alida will live in Bayreuth, Federal Republic of Germany, for two years where Lawrence will assist in setting up NMR Spectrometers and teach research groups in NMR at the University of Bayreuth.

NEW MEMBERS

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Mr. & Mrs. Stephen J. Carpenter, Phillips Road, RD#1, Valley Falls NY 12185
Mr. & Mrs. Todd M. Tuohey, 11004 Lake Street, Cleveland NY 13042
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Mrs. Iris M. Starkey, 6865 Palomar Way, Riverside CA 92504
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Platt, 132 Platt Street, Milford CT 0646
Mrs. Kay E. Ross, PO Box 2221,
Mrs. Charles E. Whitehead, 4824 Chevy Chase Blvd., 20015 (reinstated).

BIRTHS

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A FEW MORE

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Best regards,

Merwyn

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PS—your mother gave me your address.

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Reply to:

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1733 Blue Hill Road
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(CODE [illegible])
(Name David Richard " Merwin)
(Code number 4491 b)

N FAMILY RECORD

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Address, if now living RD Gilboa, NY b

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Richard Guy + Alice Rosetta (Traymon) Merwin d

e

Birth date and place May 13, 1944 N. Cornwall NY f

Baptism date and place g

Death date and place and where buried h

First marriage date and place Jan. 6, 1963 Manorkill NY i

Second marriage date and place j

First wife or husband - full name at birth Claudia Leslie Proudman k

Father William Herbert Proudman Mother, name at birth Florence Sutton l

Birth date and place unknown 1945 Catskill NY (DIV) m

Death date and place and where buried n

Second wife or husband - full name at birth Barbara Gutierrez o

Father Harold Mother, name at birth Virginia (DIV) p

Birth date and place unknown q

Death date and place and where buried r

Children in order of birth Full given names only	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date	
1. David Jr.	Stamford 6/7/63			s
2. Anita Rosetta	5/12/64			t
3. Andrew Wm	6/17/65			u
4. Lance Thomas	12/9/67			v
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David Richard Merwin

Third wife

Judith Frances Kalney
b. Feb. 20, 1951 in Tarrytown, NY
dau of John + Sarah (Hollenbeck) Kalney
They have no children

F

5629

84 No Brigham Lane
Lake Katrine NY 12449

25 July 1988

Mr. Raymond Guy Merwin
Rt1 Box 166C
Tillson
NY 12486

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Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

5629. Raymond Guy [11] Merwin b. 19 Aug 1951 in Conesville, NY, in 1988 living at Rt#1, Box 166C, Tillson, NY 12486, a son of George & Elizabeth (Fancher) Merwin. On 21 Jun 1969 in Kingston, NY, mar. Diane Lynn Sheldon b. 28 Oct 1950 in Kingston, NY, a dau. of George & Arline (Jennings) Sheldon, by whom he had two children b. in Kingston, NY:

6710. Christine Suzanne [12] Merwin b. 1 Dec 1969

6711. Steven Guy [12] Merwin b. 29 Jul 1974

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(Raymond Guy Merewin's fam. rec. dtd 20 Aug 1981 & telecon of 17 Nov 1981).

MILESTONES #86 **AUGUST 1988**

31ST REUNION SMALL BUT ENJOYABLE

It doesn't take a very large gathering of Merwins to have an enjoyable gettogether. Although attendance at the 31st annual reunion held in Milford, CT, June 24 and 25, 1988 was not very large - only twenty-three persons, in fact - those who made the effort to attend seemed to have a good time. First-time attendees this year included a daughter and niece of the late Rev. Wallace Merwin, formerly of Ridgefield, NJ, an active participant in the activities of the Association in years gone by who had a distinguished career as a missionary in China. They were Mrs. Donald (Alma Merwin) Goecker of Dunwoody, GA, (daughter) and Mrs. John (Nancy Keiller) DeLettera (niece) of Roswell, GA. Two long-time Association members, Mr. and Mrs. F. Clark Green of Merwin Avenue, Milford, had signed up to attend, but Mr. Green had a heart attack and they cancelled at the last minute. We wish him a speedy recovery.

The weekend got under way with a meeting of the Directors of the Association in the Dickens Room of the Howard Johnson Motor Lodge on the Boston Post Road in Milford on Friday, June 24, at 4:30 p.m. The Directors heard reports from the Treasurer (Gaius Merwin), the Genealogist (Merwyn Buchanan), and the chairman of the committee raising funds for Volume III (John David Merwin). Gaius reported that receipts totalled $9,932 during the year ended May 31, 1988, consisting of $6,410 for dues and $2,859 for contributions (including those for Volume III). The balance at the beginning of the year was $2,022, making the funds available $11,954. Disbursements of $6,974 consisted mainly of $4,152 for genealogical work and $1,112 for publishing Milestones. Funds at the end of the year totalled $4,981.

Merwyn reported that the microfilming of the records underlying Volume I of the Merwin Family in North America had been sompleted and reels deposited with the Connecticut Historical Society and the Connecticut State Library, in Hartford, CT. Work is underway on Volume III which will contain corrections and additions for the first ten generations, a complete reworking of the eleventh genearation, and available information on the twelfth and thirteenth generations. He will shortly be contacting all those in the eleventh generation for updating information. He noted that efforts to identify the first wife, Elizabeth, of our immigrant ancestor, Miles,had thus far proven unsuccessful.

President Charles Merwin reported that he and his wife, Betty, were in England in April of this year and took the occasion to visit the Parish Church of St Andrew, in Clewer, Windsor. This is situated on the south bank of the Thames about one mile west of Eton Bridge and

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2 August 1988

No Middle Name or Initial

Mr. & Mrs. George ~~Arthur~~ Merwin
RD#1, Gilboa NY 12076

Dear Cousin:

Will you please give me the current address of your son, Raymond? We wrote him at Rt#1, Box 166C, Tilloson NY 12486 and the letter was returned by the post office.

We are in the process of writing Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America and I must write him to update his family entry.

Thank you and best regards,

Merwyn

Merwyn R. Buchanan
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Raymond Guy Merwin
84 No. Brigham Lane
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(~~4493~~ b.) 5629.

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Here is the draft of your entry for the Supplement which I promised on the phone to send you.

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Please send your reply to:
Mr. Merwyn R. Buchanan
1733 Blue Bell Road
Blue Bell PA 19422

Sincerely,

Merwyn

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45 THOMPSON AVENUE
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Please send your reply to:
Mr. Bertyn R. Buchanan
1733 Nine Bell Road
Nine Bell Pa 19822

Sincerely,

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11/17/81

914 658-8795

Raymond Guy Merwin
Tillson, NY

Biog:

HS Kingston '69
Night college Ulster Co.
~~Programmer~~ IBM
Systems analyst
Poughkeepsie

Kingston HS 1968
1970 Ulster Co Comm College
London's Dept Store
2 yrs Kingston Cashier
Sales clk.

Send entry

Best wishes

4493b

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(CODE (leave blank))
(Name Raymond Guy "Merwin")
(Code number 4493 b-)

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Baptism date and place g

Death date and place and where buried h

First marriage date and place June 21, 1969, Kingston, NY. i

Second marriage date and place j

First wife or husband - full name at birth Diane Lynn Sheldon k

Father George Sheldon Mother, name at birth Arlene Jennings l

{OF YOUR SPOUSE Birth date and place} October 28, 1950 Kingston, NY m

Death date and place and where buried n

Second wife or husband - full name at birth o

Father Mother, name at birth p

Birth date and place q

Death date and place and where buried r

Children in order of birth Full given names only	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date	
1. Christine Suzanne IV	Dec. 4, 1969 Kingston, NY			s
2. Steven Guy IV	July 29, 1974 Kingston, NY			t
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(4494,a.) 5630.

5625. Debora Ann[11] Merwin b. July 28, 1956 in Stamford, N.Y.; in 1982 living at R.D. 1, Gilboa NY 12076, a dau. of Kenneth Arthur & Jean Marie (Jackson) Merwin. On Dec. 14, 1974, mar. in Conesville, N.Y., James Frederick Starkweather b. Sept. 3, 1949 in New Kingston, N.Y., a son of Walter Starkweather, by whom she had two children b. in Stamford:

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10 November 1989

Mrs. Debora ~~Starkweather~~ Smith
Rte 145, Box 347
East Durham NY 12423

Dear Debora:

As you know, we are writing Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

Are your sister, Susan, and brothers, Kenneth and Michael, married? If any of them are, please send me their addresses so that I may write them for information.

Thank you and best regards,

Merwyn

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

4494 (5633-35)

Susie and Kenneth, Jr. are Both married:

Susan: Kenny Utter (Daughter: Ashley)
Box ~~B~~ 374
Stamford, NY 12167

Kenneth & Anne Merwin, Jr.
Box 292
Prattsville, NY 12468

Michael can be reached @
Michael Merwin
c/o Kenneth & Jan Merwin, Sr.
Bull Hill Road
Gilboa NY 12076

Thanks!
Debbie

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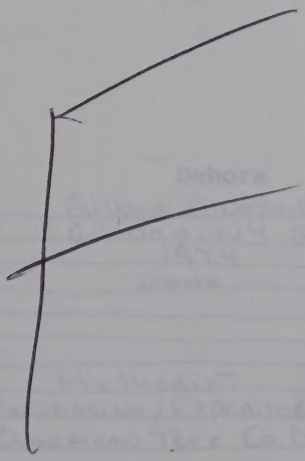
Debora Merwin Smith graduated from Gilboa-Conesville Central High School, Gilboa, NY in 1974. She is currently employed as purchasing/expediter by American Tree Co. She attends the Methodist Church. David graduated in 1978 from Catskill Central High School, Catskill, NY, in 1978. He is currently attending Columbia-Greene College, Hudson, NY, studying for an AAS degree in Criminal Justice. He is a Catholic. Currently employed in counter sales by B&S Supply. (Debora Merwin Smith's fam. rec. & personal interview on 31 July 1982 & cor. dtd 7 Sep 1988 & 14 Oct 1988).



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Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

	Debora	David
Name of high school:	Gilboa-Conesville Central	Catskill Central
Location of high school:	Gilboa, NY 12076	Catskill, NY 12414
Year graduated:	1974	1978
Name of college:	None	Columbia-Greene
Location of college:		Hudson NY
Year graduated:		Still Attending
Degree earned:		AAS in Criminal Justice
Church attended:	Methodist	Cath.
Occupation:	Purchasing/Expeditor	Counter Sales
Employer:	American Tree Co. Div	N+S Supply.

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DEBORA ANN MERWIN · MARRIED DAVID G. SMITH ON JUNE 28, 1986 @ DURHAM, NY. A SON of CLARENCE SMITH and NINA (BRANDONE) - NO CHILDREN - LIVING PRESENTLY IN RTE 145, EAST DURHAM. NY. 12423 (BORN JAN. 26, 1960 IN CATSKILL, NY)

You also may need my sister's addresses:

✓ ① JACQUELINE ANN (MERWIN) FUNCK
ORCHID STREET
5631 ROXBURY, NY.

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② CATHY LYNN (MERWIN) MAROLD
JACKSONVILLE STAGE ROAD
5632 BRATTLEBORO, VT 05301

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③ SUSAN LYNN (MERWIN) UTTER
5633 STAMFORD, NY

Complete

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Second marriage date and place j

First ~~wife or~~ husband - full name at birth James Frederick Starkweather k

Father Walter Mother, name at birth Unknown l

{OF YOUR SPOUSE Birth date and place} Sept. 3, 1949 New Kingston, N.Y. m

Death date and place and where buried n

Second wife or husband - full name at birth o

Father Mother, name at birth p

Birth date and place q

Death date and place and where buried r

Children in order of birth Full given names only	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date	
1. Jessica Lori Starkweather	Stamford NY Jan 10, 1976			s
2. Shaun Michael Starkweather	Stamford NY May 7, 1986			t
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4.				v
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6.				x

Return to: Mr. Merwyn R. Buchanan, 1733 Blue Bell Road, Blue Bell, PA 19422
Use additional sheets of paper if required.

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~~4494 to~~ 5631.

~~5016~~ Jacqueline Ann" Merwin b. Nov. 22, 1958 in Stamford, N.Y.; in 1982 living at Orchard Street, Roxbury, N.Y. _____, a dau. of Kenneth Arthur & Joan Marie (Jackson) Merwin. On Apr. 6, 1977, mar. in Conesville, N.Y., Richard John Funck b. Oct. 8, 1952 in Albany, N.Y., a son of John & Helen (Becker) Funck, by whom she had a son b. in Stamford:

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(Jacqueline Merwin Funck's fam. rec. & telecon Sept. 8, 1982).

Complete

Phone ?

F 5631

1 May 1989

Mrs. Jacqueline M. Funck
Orchard Street
Roxbury NY 12474

Dear Cousin:

Will you please give me the current address of your sister, Debora? Mail addressed to her at Rd, Gilboa NY 12076 was returned by the post office as undeliverable.

We want to write her to update her entry for Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

Thanks and best regards.

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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28 FEBRUARY 1989

Mrs. Jaqueline M. Funcki
Orchid St.
Roxbury
NY 12474

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Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

p.33 I (159). Joseph [5] Treat b. in 1747; bap. 2 Jul 1749 in Milford, CT; d. 24 Oct 1828. On _____ , mar. Rebecca Downs b. 6 Dec 1746; d. 9 Dec 1829.
(Mrs. Martha Morse Melville's cor. dtd 1 Apr 1985).

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Orchid

25 July 1988

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NY 12474

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The weekend got under way with a meeting of the Directors of the Association in the Dickens Room of the Howard Johnson Motor Lodge on the Boston Post Road in Milford on Friday, June 24, at 4:30 p.m. The Directors heard reports from the Treasurer (Gaius Merwin), the Genealogist (Merwyn Buchanan), and the chairman of the committee raising funds for Volume III (John David Merwin). Gaius reported that receipts totalled $9,932 during the year ended May 31, 1988, consisting of $6,410 for dues and $2,859 for contributions (including those for Volume III). The balance at the beginning of the year was $2,022, making the funds available $11,954. Disbursements of $6,974 consisted mainly of $4,152 for genealogical work and $1,112 for publishing Milestones. Funds at the end of the year totalled $4,981.

Merwyn reported that the microfilming of the records underlying Volume I of the Merwin Family in North America had been sompleted and reels deposited with the Connecticut Historical Society and the Connecticut State Library, in Hartford, CT. Work is underway on Volume III which will contain corrections and additions for the first ten generations, a complete reworking of the eleventh genearation, and available information on the twelfth and thirteenth generations. He will shortly be contacting all those in the eleventh generation for updating information. He noted that efforts to identify the first wife, Elizabeth, of our immigrant ancestor, Miles,had thus far proven unsuccessful.

President Charles Merwin reported that he and his wife, Betty, were in England in April of this year and took the occasion to visit the Parish Church of St Andrew, in Clewer, Windsor. This is situated on the south bank of the Thames about one mile west of Eton Bridge and some 200 yards from the Windsor Coach Park; the entrance to the

MILES MERWIN (1623-1697) ASSOCIATION, INC.

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~~41 TRUMBULL AVENUE~~
~~MILFORD, CONN. 06460~~

Mrs. Jacqueline M. Fuenck
Orchard St. Roxbury NY

Aug. 5, 1982

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Dear Cousin:

We are writing a Supplement to The Merwin Family in North America (published in 1978). Our purpose is to continue that genealogy from the tenth through the fourteenth generations (from Miles Merwin 1623-1697).

Since you are one of our family, we would appreciate your completing the enclosed family record. Missing items are encircled or indicated by a question mark. There is no charge or obligation on your part. All Merwins should be in the book.

Your cooperation will be much appreciated.

Best regards,

Merwyn

Reply to:

Mr. Merwyn R. Buchanan
1733 Blue Bell Road
Blue Bell, PA 19422

PS - Your sister Debora gave me your address.
Please answer by August 31st ?

MERWIN FAMILY RECORD 1-607-326-4702 (Name Jacqueline Ann Merwyn) (Code number 4494-b)

Please fill in as much of this form as you can, typing or writing as legibly as possible. Give complete name (not initials) and full dates - month, day and year. Report your sources of information on reverse side of form, using key letters at right below.

MERWIN DESCENDANT - full name at birth Jacqueline Ann Merwyn a

Address, if now living Orchard Street, Roxbury NY b

Names of Merwin ancestors back to Miles 1623, so far as known c

Kenneth Arthur & Jean Marie (Jackson) Merwin d

e

Birth date and place Nov 22, 1958 Stamford NY f

Baptism date and place g

Death date and place and where buried h

First marriage date and place 4/6/77 Conesville NY i

Second marriage date and place j

First ~~wife or~~ husband - full name at birth Richard John Funck k

Father John Funck Mother, name at birth Helen Becker l

(OF YOUR SPOUSE Richard's) Birth date and place 10/8/52 Albany NY m

Death date and place and where buried n

Second wife or husband - full name at birth o

Father _____ Mother, name at birth p

Birth date and place q

Death date and place and where buried r

Children in order of birth Full given names only	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date	
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9/7/82

Jacqueline M. Funck

1-607-326-4702

Rotbury NJ

Complete form:

November 1988

Mrs. James Lee Harold
Jacksonville Stage Road
Brattleboro VT 05301

Dear Cathy:

Thank you for your reply to my letter of 4 October.

Enclosed is an order form for the Association's publications as you requested. Please let me know of any changes in your family - - - children, changes in work, etc.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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7 November 1988

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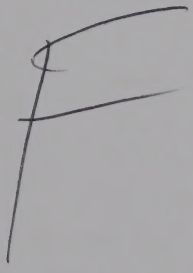

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Cathy in 1979 from High School

James in 1977 from High School
1980 from SUNY, Alfred

Would you please send me information on how I could Buy the Books.

Thank you

Cathy

4 October 1988

Mrs. James Lee Marold
Jacksonville Stage Road
Brattleboro VT 05301

Dear Cathy:

Thank you for your recent reply to my letter requesting information for Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America. Enclosed is a copy of your entry as I now have it.

Will you please give me any needed correction? One thing missing is where (city and state) James was born. Also please give me the dates each of you graduated from high school and James graduated from SUNY.

Best regards,

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Genealogist

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FORM (CODE 5632)

MERWIN Family Record: PHONE NO. ( )

Full name at birth: Cathy Lynn Merwin

Address: Jacksonville Stage Rd., Brattleboro Vt Zip 05301

Birth date and place (city & state) 11/8/59 Stamford NY

Death date and place where buried N/A

First marriage date & place 8 25, 1988, Gilboa, NY, 12076

Second marriage date & place none

First Husband ~~(wife)~~ full name at birth: James Lee ~~Harold~~ Marold

Spouse' Father James Josphe Marold

Spouse's Mother Carol Ann Edwards Marold (include maiden name)

~~Second Husband (wife) name at birth~~ none

Birth date and place 3-10-59,

Death date and place where buried None

Spouse's Father (name in full)

Spouse's Mother (include maiden name)

CHILDREN IN ORDER OF BIRTH Given & family name in full	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date
None			

ite a brief biography of your family on reverse side - schools tended, military service, occupation, church attended, awards, civic rvice, etc.

turn to: Merwyn R. Buchanan, 1733 Blue Bell Road, Blue Bell, PA 19422-17

Cathy - Went to School at Gilboa-Conesville Central S
a Northren Castill Opp. Center.
work at Connective Technology in engineering f

James. – Went to School at
Elkland, PA.
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as a JOB ENGineer.

Dknows nothing about any dues.

7 September 1988

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Thank you.

Best regards,

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Genealogist

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CATHY
~~Susan~~ Husband

Name of high school:
Location of high school:
Year graduated:
Name of college:
Location of college:
Year graduated:
Degree earned:
Church attended:
Occupation:
Employer:

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RECEIPTS FOR WITTER GENEALOGY

NAME	AMOUNT RECEIVED	NUMBER OF BOOKS		
Gladys A. Wible	9.50	1	Lorraine Burman	25.00
Ethel Coulter	9.50	1	Richard Buchanan	9.50
D. Brooks Barlow	100.00	2	Catherine Collins	9.50
Russell Trueblood	9.50	1	D. Clark Allen	9.50
Eleanor Buchanan	50.00	1	David Buchanan	9.50
Morris Baynes	9.50	1	Idola Jean Brock	19.00
Chester B. Allen	38.00	4	David Drayton Hamm	9.50
08/15/88	226.00	11	Total to date	623.00
Anisse Reynolds	9.50	1		
Lillian W. Epley	9.50	1		
Noel A. Hayes	9.50	1		
Peggy Price	9.50	1		
C.H. Witter	9.50	1		
08/16/88	47.50	5		
Herbert Ramey	9.50	1		
Lloyd C. Witter	9.50	1		
Cindy R. Douglass	9.50	1		
Joan Ammerman	9.50	1		
08/17/88	38.00	4		
Walter W. Buchanan	9.50	1		
David D. McCullough	9.50	1		
Albert E. Buchanan	100.00	1		
08/20/88	119.00	3		
M. Russell Buchanan	9.50	1		
Phyllis Smith	19.00	2		
Rosemary R. Gibson	9.50	1		
08/22/88	38.00	4		
Nancy James	28.50	3		
Nancy B. Dezzi	25.00	2		
Mrs. Martin Hyde	9.50	1		
Balance Forward	531.50	33		

5633

21 December 1989

Mrs. Susan M. Utter
Box 374
Stamford NY 12167

Dear Cousin:

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Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist
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	you	spouse
Name of high school:		
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Occupation:		
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1 March 1989

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NY
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CATH2

Catherine [2] Line North

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xx. Richard [3] Leich b. 1817

17. William [3] Leich b. 5 Jan 1806; bap. 3 Feb 1806 at St. Paul;'s P.E. Church; d. ___ Aug 1806 aged 18 months

16a. Susannah [3] Leich b. 6 Oct 1809; bap. 19 Apr 1810 at St. Paul's P.E. Church

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Mar, Bridget b. 1820 in Ireland by whom he had four children b. in Phila.;

xx. Elizabeth b. 1845

xx Susana b. 1847

xx Richard b. 1853

~~xx Nate ? b. 1856~~

xx Nate ? b. 1856 in New York

14 October 1988

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	Susan	Husband
Name of high school:		
Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
Name of college:		
Location of college:		
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Degree earned:		
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Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

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Name of high school:		
Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
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7 September 1988

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Stanford NY 12167

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Best regards,

Mervyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

Susan Husband

1923

Name of high school:
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Year graduated:
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Church attended:
Occupation:
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(4497,a.) 5641.

~~5636~~. Bruce Joseph[11] Merwin b. Mar. 4, 1951 in Berea, Ohio; in 1981 living at 459 N. Rocky River Drive, Berea OH 44017, a son of Loren Harvey & Frances (Delberta) Merwin. On Nov. 8, 1972, mar. at Columbia Station, Ohio, Sherry Lane Joyce b. July 5, 1953 in Richlands, Va., a dau. of Sidney & Effie (Smith) Joyce, by whom he had a son b. in Chardon, Ohio:

67154. Bruce Joseph[12] Merwin b. Aug. 6, 1973

Bruce Joseph Merwin grad. in 1970 from Berea High School; attended Cuyahoga Community College for two years. He is a policeman in Berea, and a member of St. Adelderpf Catholic Church.

(Bruce Joseph Merwin's telephone conversation of Sept. 13, 1981).

No reply
6/23/89

F 5641

28 December 1988

Mr. Bruce J. Merwin
459 N. Rocky River Dr.
Berea
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Joseph

Complete

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_____ Bruce Joseph Merwin b. Aug. 6, 1973

Bruce Joseph Merwin grad. in 1970 from Berea High School; attended Cuyahoga Community College for two years. He is a policeman in Berea, and a member of St. Adelbert's Catholic Church.

(Bruce Joseph Merwin's telephone conversation of Sept. 13, 1981).

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July 10, 1981 (no ans)

~~351-0100~~ ~~660x50~~

C 9/14/81

Bruce J. Merwin
Berea, O.H.

1-216-234-3960

7/14/81 8:00 PM no ans.
7/14/81 9:00 PM no ans
9/9/81 { 9:15 PM " "
10:10 PM " "

Bio -

9/13/81 3:00 p.m

High School Berea 1970
College Cuyahoga Comm College 2 yrs.
Degree
Occupation Policeman
Employer Berea
Civic
Church St. Adelderpfe Catholic

Sister Jill's phone no.?

234-1619

catch her at her father's

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Mr. Bruce J. Merwin
459 N. Rocky River Dr.
Berea OH 44017

Jan. 6, 1981

1-216-234-3960

Dear Cousin:

Your father gave me information about you for inclusion in the supplement we are writing to The Merwin Family in North America.

Enclosed is a rough draft of your family entry. Please give me these missing bits of information:

1) Your middle name J ?
2) Sherry's full date of birth.
3) The date you were married (day)
4) The father and mother's (of Joyce) full names including mother's maiden name
5) Please give me a brief biography of both you and Sherry (schools, occupations, church or civic activities, etc.).

We would welcome you as members of our association. The annual dues of $2.00 will bring you our newsletter Milestones. A copy is enclosed. Send me a check payable to Miles Merwin Assn.

Best regards,

Merwyn

(CODE (leave blank))
(Name Bruce "Merwin)
(Code number 44972)

MERWIN FAMILY RECORD

Please fill in as much of this form as you can, typing or writing as legibly as possible. Give complete name (not initials) and full dates - month, day and year. Report your sources of information on reverse side of form, using key letters at right below.

MERWIN DESCENDANT - full name at birth Bruce "Merwin a

Address, if now living 459 N. Rocky River Dr. Berea OHIO 44017 b

Names of Merwin ancestors back to Miles 1623, so far as known c

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e

Birth date and place Mar. 4, 1951 Berea f

Baptism date and place ST. ADELBERTS CHURCH BEREA 1951 g

Death date and place and where buried — h

First marriage date and place NOV. 1972 COLUMBIA STATION OHIO i

Second marriage date and place — j

First wife or husband - full name at birth SHERRY LANE JOYCE k

Father Mother, name at birth l

Birth date and place RICHLANDS VIRGINIA m

Death date and place and where buried n

Second wife or husband - full name at birth o

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Children in order of birth Full given names only	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date	
1. BRUCE J. MERWIN JR.	8-6-73 CHardon OHIO			s
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Return to: Mr. Merwyn R. Buchanan, 1733 Blue Bell Road, Blue Bell, PA 19422
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Became a member of the Berea Ohio Police Department in 1975.

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Name of person sending data Bruce J. Merwin

Address 459 N. Rocky River Dr. Berea Ohio 44017 Zip _____ Date 1-2-81

Member of Miles Merwin (1623-1697) Association: ( )YES ( )NO

~~(4497,c.)~~ 5643.

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5643

28 FEBRUARY 1989

Mrs. Jill Bradley
107 W. Bagley Rd.
Berea
OH 44017

Dear Cousin:

It has been many weeks since we wrote you asking for an update on your family record and you have not replied.

We do want to include your family in Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America, but we can not do so unless you reply. If there is no change in your entry, please tell me so. It will only take a moment for you to reply.

If I do not hear from you by March 31st, your record will be filed and omitted from Volume III. You will receive no other request.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

p.736 I (4417) Dorothea Iona (10) (Gunsauls) Faribault_ _ _ _ On 1 Oct 1983, d. at Mandeville, LA, & bur. at Waymart, PA.

b.2) Debra Marie (12) Oberfell b. 20 Jan 1961; in 1988 living at 180 Locust Cove, Cedar Park TX 78613. On 17 Nov 1984, at Our Lady of the Lake Church, Mandeville, LA, mar. Rowland Evans Reed b. 17 Dec 1960 in Denton, TX, a son of Wallace Evans & Mary Grace (Rowland) Reed, by whom she had a dau. b. in Austin, TX:

a) Bonnie Marie (13) Reed b. 14 Jan 1987

Debra Marie (Oberfell) Reed grad. from Louisiana Technical University with a degree in Elementary Education and teaches first grade in Bienville, LA. Her husband is an Electrical Engineering student at Louisiana Technical University, Ruston, LA.

(Betty Jean (Faribault) Oberfell's cor. & Milestones Aug 1984 & June 1987).

25 July 1988

Mrs. Jill M. Bradley
107 W. Bagley Road
Berea
OH 44017

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Carol – omit maiden name
omit bio

441/c

C 6/10/81

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Merwyn

PS - Do you have a middle name?

(CODE (leave blank))
(Name Jill " Merwin)
(Code number 4497 C)

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Death date and place and where buried h

First marriage date and place Sept. 20, 1974 - Berea Methodist Church i

Second marriage date and place May 23, 1980 Berea Muny Court j

First wife or husband - full name at birth Ricky Allen Bradley k

Father Clayton Mary Mother, name at birth Unknown l

Birth date and place Sept. 18, 1955 - Laotto, Ind. m

Death date and place and where buried n

Second wife or husband - full name at birth Jeffrey Lee Alexander o

Father Eugene Alexander Norma Mother, name at birth Bendium p

Birth date and place Jeffrey's birth - 10-4-55 - Berea - Southwest Hospital q

Death date and place and where buried r

Children in order of birth Full given names only	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date	
1. Ricky Allen Bradley Jr.	5-13-75 Berea, Ohio		XXXXX-	s
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Name of person sending data Jill Ann Merwin Alexander

Address 107 W. Bagley Rd. Berea Ohio Zip 44017 Date 11-27-80

Member of Miles Merwin (1623-1697) Association: ( )YES ? ( )NO

FORM1 (CODE 5648)

PHONE NO. 518 234 3823

MERWIN FAMILY RECORD NAME

Full name at birth: Karen Irene Merwin

Address: RD2 Box 554 Cobleskill NY Zip 12043

Birth date and place (city & state) 19 Sep 1965, Stamford, NY

Death date and place where buried N/A

1. First marriage date & place Sept. 13, 1984, Sharon Springs ~~Ba~~ Justice of Peace
Second marriage date & place 22 Apr 1989, Hindsville Methodist Church

2. First ~~wife or~~ husband - full name at birth Thomas Allen Hoose

2. Birth date and place

Death date and place where buried

2. Spouse's Father ? Bosco Hoose (name in full)
Spouse's Mother ? Laura Hoose (include maiden name)

Second ~~wife or~~ husband - full name at birth Wesley Horace Tucker Jr.

Birth date and place 16 Aug 1960 Albany Medical Center

Death date and place where buried N/A

Spouse's Father Wesley Horace Tucker Sr. (name in full)
Spouse's Mother Cathrine Lighthall (include maiden name)

CHILDREN IN ORDER OF BIRTH Given & family name in full	Birth place and date	Death place and date	Married to and date
1. Thomas Allen Hoose	Bassett Cooperstown 1 May 1985	Karen's by 1st mar.	
2. Alicia Irene Tucker	Bassett Cooperstown 13 Aug 1987		
3. Elizabeth Abalonian Tucker	~~8~~ Jun. ~~1987~~ 1983 Cobleskill Comm.	Wesley's child by previous mar.	
4.			
5.			
6.			

Please provide your family line back as far as known on the reverse of this form. Give the names of your parents, grandparents, great grandparents, etc., as far as you know.

Return to: Merwyn R. Buchanan, 1733 Blue Bell Road, Blue Bell PA 19422-2117

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3 February 1990

Mrs. Karen Merwin Tucker
RD2, Box 554
Cobleskill NY 12043

Dear Karen:

Here is the form for your family filled out as I understood you on the phone this morning. Please fill in the blanks and give me any needed correction.

I would also like a brief biography of you and Wesley as follows:

	you	Wesley
Name of high school:	Cobleskill	Cobleskill
Location of high school:	Cobleskill	Cobleskill
Year graduated:	1984	1980
Name of college:	None	
Location of college:	None	
Year graduated:		
Degree earned:		
Church attended:	Methodist →	" "
Occupation:	House wife	farm hand
Employer:		John Burr
		Sharon Springs

Many thanks for your help.

Best regards,

Merwyn

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist
5648

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Location of high school:
Year graduated:
Name of college:
Location of college:
Year graduated:
Degree earned:
Church attended:
Occupation:
Employer:

Many thanks for your help.

Best regards,

Melvyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist

3 February 1990

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Cobleskill NY 12043

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Genealogist
5648

9 December 1989

TO:Board of Directors, Miles Merwin (16232-1697) Association, Inc.
FROM: Merwyn R. Buchanan, Genealogist

SUBJECT: Genealogist's Report

1- Preparation of Volume III
Today I am turning over to Charles Merwin the draft of Volume III containing 328 pp of text so that he may edit and proof-read it. The Introduction is still to be written, and the index of names must be added when the manuscript is completed. The Index for Volume II contains ninety-nine pages and the Introduction nine pages. Thus the final manuscript will contain approximately 436 pages. In Volume II, the eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth generations took 287 pages. In Volume III, the same generations are expanded but fill only 191 pages. The reason for this apparent contradiction is the fact that Vol. I was written with each line 1-1/2 spaces apart. Volume III is single spaced. Thus, we have conserved space and the final manuscript will be about 440 pages instead of 957.

I have obtained a quotation from Port City Press to print Volume III. Attached is that quotation developed for 400, 500 and 600 copies. We must decide the quantity to have printed and the per copy cost.

2- Volume III Completion
I have contacted virtually all people possible to get up-date information. Unfortunately, there are many people I have been unable to get information from because of one of the following reasons:

a. Mail addressed to the address in our files was returned as undeliverable. Effort was made to contact syblings or parents by mail primarily and, in some cases, by telephone.
b. People never answered a letter in which case I wrote a second which was not answered.

A number of things contributed to our failure to obtain some up-date information. One is the increasing divorce rate. If the Merwin is a male and has been divorced, he is not interested in family matters even to the extent that he has no interest in, or does not know, the location of his children. Another is the fact that an increasing number of persons are co-habiting without getting married. Also, many are deferring marriage to complete long years of schooling or engaging in a career. The married children of eleventh generation female Merwins shown in Vol. II are less interested than their mothers particularly when you explain that they must join our Association to have their families in the book. Despite these problems, I feel we have done the substantial part of the job. You can see evidence in the two previous volumes of persons who would not give information. It is just that this is an increasing trend.

3- In October 1989, we published a new Association booklet. On advantage of this one over the new one is it contains fewer pages than the previous one and is, therefore, lighter. The postage to mail new members their welcoming letter together with a copy of Milestones, the address list and the Associaton booklet was $1.25 in the USA is now $1.05, a savings of $.20. or 16%.

Karen Merwin

13 November 1989

Mrs. Wesley William Tucker
~~c/o Mrs. Howard F. Merwin~~
RD 2, Box 554
Cobleskill NY 12043

Dear Cousin:

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Enclosed is a Merwin Family record sheet. Will you please fill this out and return it to me? Also, fill out a brief biography of yourself and spouse as suggested below.

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	you	spouse
Name of high school:		
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ARTICLE VIII.

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ARTICLE IX.

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December 5, 1959
Revised 1969 and 1979

3 February 1990

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I talked to Karen this morning. She tells me I goofed when I sent you forms to fill out for Vol. III of our genealogy. I sent your form to her and hers to you. Guess I am slipping.

At any reate here is your form. Please complete and correct it as needed.

I would also like a brief biography of you and Ernest as follows:

	you	Ernest
Name of high school:		
Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
Name of college:		
Location of college:		
Year graduated:		
Degree earned:		
Church attended:		
Occupation:		
Employer:		

Please reply as soon as possible because we are getting close to the time I must complete the manuscript in time for publication and I do want you to be in it. Many thanks for your help.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist
5649

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Dear Cousin:

Thank you for the information you gave me on the phone yesterday. As I mentioned, we are in the process of preparing the manuscript for Volume III of The Merwin Family in North America.

Enclosed is a Merwin Family record sheet. Will you please fill this out and return it to me? Also, fill out a brief biography of yourself and spouse as suggested below.

Since you were born a Merwin, you will be included in Volume III without question. You need not be a member of our Association. However, we would be pleased to have you join to support our efforts and be informed of the doings of Merwins around the globe. Use the enclosed dues form to join.

Best regards,

Merwyn R. Buchanan
Genealogist
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	you	spouse
Name of high school:		
Location of high school:		
Year graduated:		
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